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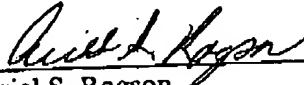
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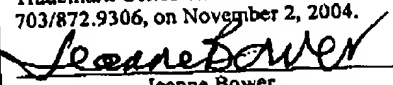
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Responsive to the Office Action dated August 3, 2004, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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